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Title: Efficient and Secure Bill Payment via Mobile IP Terminals

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1. Transmittal Form (1 page)
2. Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8 (1 page)
3. Claims as amended (1 page)
4. Amendment (5 pages)

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SERIAL NO. 09/731,344

GROUP ART UNIT 3628

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TITLE Efficient and Secure Bill Payment via Mobile

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AMENDMENT

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